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SUBJECT: EMERGENCY LEAVE AUTHORIZATION

FOR CPOIC SEABEE TEAM, UTC RONALD JOSEPH OUELLET, USN,

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REF: STATE TELEGRAM OF 28 MAY 1974

1. WE DEEPLY REGRET HAVING TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR FATHER IS CRITICALLY ILL. SURGERY DISCUSSED IN REFTEL DISCOVERED A MASSIVE TUMOR IN HIS LIVER. DR. BALL ANTICIPATES LIFE EXPECTANCY OF ONE TO THREE WEEKS. EMERGENCY LEAVE INFORMATION FOLLOWS FOR YOUR UTILIZATION, IF ELECTED.
2. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED 15 DAYS EMERGENCY LEAVE TO COMMENCE DATE OF DEPARTURE PORT OF DEBARKATION CONUS AND ENDING DATE OF ARRIVAL PORT OF EMBARKATION CONUS FOR RETURN TO AMERICAN EMBASSY, SAIGON, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM.
3. TRANSPORTATION AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE AUTHORIZED VIA THE MILITARY AIRLIFT COMMAND (MAC) ON A SPACEREQUIRED BASIS FOR THOSE SEGMENTS OF A JOURNEY WHERE A MAC CHANNEL EXISTS, PAYABLE FROM APPROPRIATED FUNDS AVAILABLE AND CHARGEABLE TO THE APPROPRIATION AS FOLLOWS: 1741804.2578 000 00025 B 065872 2D 000000 002301P79D1E (JO 10100016; WC 09M10).
4. THE PROCUREMENT OF COMMERCIAL TRANSPORTATION AT

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GOV'T EXPENSE IS NOT AUTHORIZED FOR EMERGENCY LEAVE. PER DIEM OR OTHER INCIDENTAL EXPENSES ARE NOT PAYABLE FROM APPROPRIATED FUNDS. THESE INSTRUCTIONS DO NOT PRECLUDE THE USE OF OTHER GOVERNMENT AIRCRAFT OR FLEET UNITS FOR WHICH NO TRANSPORTATION CHARGES ARE LEVIED.

5. YOU ARE DIRECTED TO WEAR CIVILIAN CLOTHES AT ALL TIMES.

6. MAC TERMINALS ARE REQUESTED TO ISSUE MAC TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZATION, DD FORM 1482.

7. CHIEF OUELLET WILL FURNISH A CERTIFICATE SHOWING COMPLETE ITINERARY, INCLUDING DATES, HOURS, AND PLACES OF ALL DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS. THIS CERTIFICATE SHALL BE USED TO COMPUTE LEAVE TIME AND IS TO BE FORWARDED TO NSU UPON RETURN FROM EMERGENCY LEAVE.

8. REPORT VIA TELEGRAM, EXACT LEAVE ADDRESS AND REQUEST YOU CALL NSU COLLECT UPON ARRIVAL CONUS.

9. NSU WILL ASSIST YOU IN OBTAINING MAC TRANSPORTATION FOR RETURN TO AMERICAN EMBASSY, SAIGON, RVN THROUGH MAC TERMINAL, TRAVIS AFB, CA.

10. THIS MESSAGE AUTHORIZATION CONSTITUTES AN OFFICIAL EMERGENCY LEAVE AUTHORIZATION AND IS TO BE KEPT ON YOUR PERSON AT ALL TIMES DURING LEAVE.

11. PLEASE ADVISE THIS OFFICE OF ANY ASSISTANCE DESIRED.
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